

110TH CONGRESS  
1ST SESSION

# S. RES. 190

Expressing the condolences of the Nation to the community of Greensburg,  
Kansas.

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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

MAY 7, 2007

Mr. ROBERTS (for himself and Mr. BROWNBACK) submitted the following  
resolution; which was considered and agreed to

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## RESOLUTION

Expressing the condolences of the Nation to the community  
of Greensburg, Kansas.

Whereas, on Friday, May 4, 2007, a tornado struck the community of Greensburg, Kansas;

Whereas this tornado was classified as an EF-5, the strongest possible type, by the National Weather Service, with winds estimated at 205 miles per hour;

Whereas the tornado is the first EF-5 on the Enhanced Fujita scale, and the first F-5 on the previous scale since 1999;

Whereas approximately 95 percent of Greensburg is destroyed;

Whereas 1,500 residents have been displaced from their homes; and

Whereas, in response to the declaration by the President of a major disaster, the Administrator of the Federal Emergency Management Agency has made Federal disaster assistance available for the State of Kansas to assist in local recovery efforts: Now, therefore, be it

1       *Resolved*, That the Senate expresses the condolences  
2 of the Nation to the community of Greensburg, Kansas,  
3 and its gratitude to local, State, and National law enforce-  
4 ment and emergency responders conducting search and  
5 rescue operations.

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